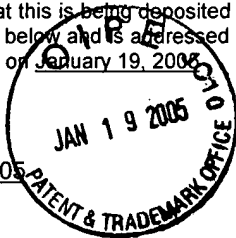


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| PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) | | Docket Number 2100/23 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| In re Application of: Scott D. SLOMIANY et al | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Application Number: 09/993,359 | | Filed: November 19, 2001 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| For: BUNCO GAMING DEVICE, METHOD AND BONUS GAME | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Group Art Unit: 3714 | | Examiner: Corbett B. Coburn | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| <p>This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Advisory Action dated December 3, 2004 (Final Office Action dated August 24, 2004) in the above identified application.</p> <p>The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows:</p> <table><thead><tr><th></th><th>Fee</th><th colspan="2">Small Entity Fee</th></tr></thead><tbody><tr><td><input type="checkbox"/> One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))</td><td>\$120</td><td>\$60</td><td>\$ _____</td></tr><tr><td><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2))</td><td>\$450</td><td>\$225</td><td>\$450.00</td></tr><tr><td><input type="checkbox"/> Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3))</td><td>\$1020</td><td>\$510</td><td>\$ _____</td></tr><tr><td><input type="checkbox"/> Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4))</td><td>\$1590</td><td>\$795</td><td>\$ _____</td></tr><tr><td><input type="checkbox"/> Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5))</td><td>\$2160</td><td>\$1080</td><td>\$ _____</td></tr><tr><td colspan="4"><input type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.</td></tr><tr><td colspan="4"><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of \$450.00 is enclosed.</td></tr><tr><td colspan="4"><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. <u>50-0930</u>. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.</td></tr></tbody></table> | | | | | Fee | Small Entity Fee | | <input type="checkbox"/> One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1)) | \$120 | \$60 | \$ _____ | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2)) | \$450 | \$225 | \$450.00 | <input type="checkbox"/> Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3)) | \$1020 | \$510 | \$ _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4)) | \$1590 | \$795 | \$ _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5)) | \$2160 | \$1080 | \$ _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. | | | | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of \$450.00 is enclosed. | | | | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. <u>50-0930</u> . A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. | | | |
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